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I, Brandon Sloan, declare as follows:

1. Prior to July 9, 2001, I participated in the test ride described in paragraph 6 of the enclosed Declaration of Inventors ("the Declaration").
2. I rode the prototype bicycle described in paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Declaration.
3. The prototype bicycle included the prototype main frame shown in Exhibit A of the Declaration. The prototype bicycle also included an articulating frame substantially similar to the articulating frame shown in Exhibit B. Further, the arrangement of the main frame, articulating frame and the shock absorber of the prototype bicycle were substantially similar to the bicycle shown in Exhibit C.

I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. I declare that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States

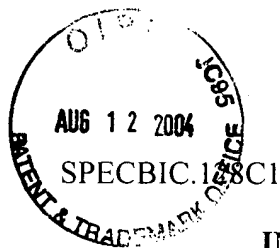
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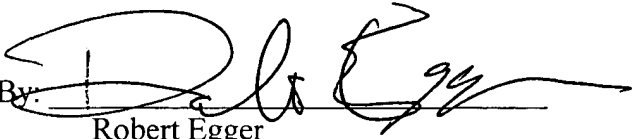
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